## **IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Paragraph beginning on page 5, at line 9, has been amended as follows:

The front case 4 has an opening 41 for entering exhaust gas generated as a machine operates through the opening 41. The front case 4 has a secondary air inlet 42 for mounting a pipe 43. The pipe 43 passes through a check valve 44 for entering unidirectional secondary air. The rear case 6 has a plurality of holes 61. The check valve can be a guided check valve. A check block of the check valve is one of a cone stopper, a sphere, a board, or a diaphragm.